

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

App. No. : 09/859,640
Applicants : Rafi Rabipour et al.
Filed : May 18, 2001
Title : **METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR CONTROLLING AN
OPERATIVE SETTING OF A COMMUNICATIONS
LINK**
Group Art Unit : 2644
Examiner : ANDREW C. FLANDERS
Docket No. : 85773-374

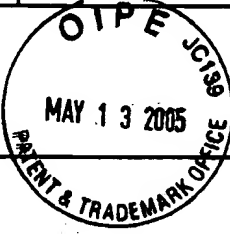
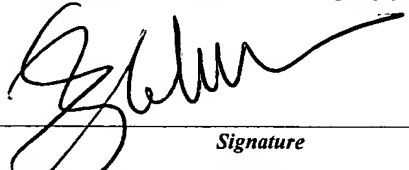
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In response to the Office Action mailed February 24, 2005, please re-examine the application in light of the remarks provided.

Remarks begin on page 2 of this paper.

AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER (Large Entity)					Docket No. 85773-374	
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